

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

CRESCENT HIGH Anderson 3

Grades: 9-12 **Enrollment: 689**

Principal: Devon Smith

Superintendent: Gail R. Southard

Board Chair: Danny Davis

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2011	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Below Average	N/A	Silver	Not Met	N/A
2009	Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
10	9	22	1	1

^{*} Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our Hig	h School		ools with Like Ours
	2010	2011	2011 2010 2011	
Passed 2 subtests (%)	76.0%	84.6%	77.1%	76.5%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	9.7%	6.8%	12.0%	13.6%
Passed no subtests (%)	14.3%	8.6%	11.8%	10.4%

SAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2011 High Schools with Students Our High School Like Ours Passage Rate 90.9%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE							
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours					
Number of students	184	294					
Number of Diplomas	140	203					
Rate (%)	76.1%	71.5%					

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2011							
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours					
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	90.4	75.1					
English 1	70.8	63.3					
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	67.6	65.4					
Physical Science	53.6	54.1					
US History and the Constitution	52.7	43.4					
All Tests	65.2	60.3					

NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

READING – GRADE 8 (2011)							
South Carolina	28	45	25	2			
Nation	25	43	29	3			
	% Below Basic	% Basic, Proficient, a	nd Advanced	l			

MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)							
South Carolina	30	38 25		7			
Nation	28	39	26	8			
	% Below Basic	% Basic, Proficier	nt, and Advanc	ed			
■ Below Basic □ Bas	sic Proficient	Advanced					

SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2009)							
South Carolina		45	32	22	1		
Nation		38	33	28	1		
		% Basic, Profici ■ <i>Advanced</i>	ent, and Ad	vanced			

SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

CRESCENT HIGH [Anderson 3]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Mediar High School
Students (n=689)				
Retention rate	5.4%	Up from 3.2%	3.8%	3.4%
Attendance rate	93.0%	Down from 94.3%	95.1%	95.0%
Served by gifted and talented program	16.5%	No Change	12.9%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	12.4%	Down from 15.9%	10.9%	9.9%
Older than usual for grade	7.8%	Down from 10.0%	7.4%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.1%	Down from 0.3%	0.9%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	7.7%	Down from 7.8%	13.7%	13.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	31.3%	Down from 35.3%	47.2%	51.7%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	43.9%	Down from 53.5%	30.1%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	2.3%	Down from 3.5%	2.9%	2.5%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	33.7%	Up from 22.0%	1.9%	2.9%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	489	Down from 554	366	419
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	94.5%	Up from 86.7%	80.5%	83.0%
Teachers (n=45)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	55.6%	Up from 53.2%	62.1%	61.1%
Continuing contract teachers	86.7%	Down from 89.4%	83.3%	80.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	91.5%	Up from 89.2%	87.9%	86.5%
Teacher attendance rate	95.8%	Down from 96.1%	95.5%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,884	Down 1.2%	\$46,933	\$46,884
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	1.6%	2.2%
Professional development days/teacher	8.8 days	Down from 8.9 days	10.5 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	10.0	Up from 9.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	26.9 to 1	Down from 27.1 to 1	27.5 to 1	26.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	86.8%	Down from 88.4%	89.4%	89.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,499	Down 1.2%	\$7,412	\$7,804
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	57.2%	Up from 54.3%	57.2%	58.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	59.4%	Up from 58.8%	60.5%	60.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	73.0%	Up from 68.0%	97.3%	97.3%
Character development program	Below Average	No Change	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met * Length of contract = 185+ days.	69.2%	Up from 46.2%	63.2%	65.2%

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	49	122	43
Percent satisfied with learning environment	98.0%	71.3%	83.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	98.0%	86.8%	88.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	77.6%	84.3%	79.1%

^{*}Only students at the highest high school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The mission of Crescent High School is to develop responsible graduates.

Tonya Horne was named CHS Teacher of the Year. Senior Perry Loftis was elected Governor of Palmetto Boy's State as well as being named State FFA President.

Our Media Center hosted Banned Books Week, Teen Read Week, the annual Poetry Fair, as well as the annual International Fair.

This year we offered AP classes in English, US History, and World History serving a total of 24 students. Twenty students participated in dual credit classes with local colleges and universities.

To date, the class of 2011 has received approximately 2.3 million dollars in scholarships. There were 65 students eligible for a Life Scholarship; 44 to a two year institution and 21 to a four year institution. Four students were eligible for a Palmetto Fellows Scholarship.

Our FFA Chapter received the prestigious Gold Chapter Award. Ten FFA members received state degrees and there were three state proficiency award winners - Clay Smith, Adam McMullan, and Megan Richard.

The staff of CHS looks forward to serving the young people of the Starr, Iva, and Flat Rock communities by continuing to offer a diverse and challenging curriculum.

Devon Smith, Principal Julie Brewster, SIC Chair

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available.